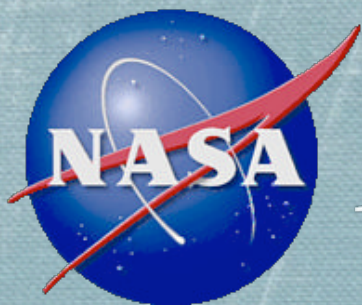


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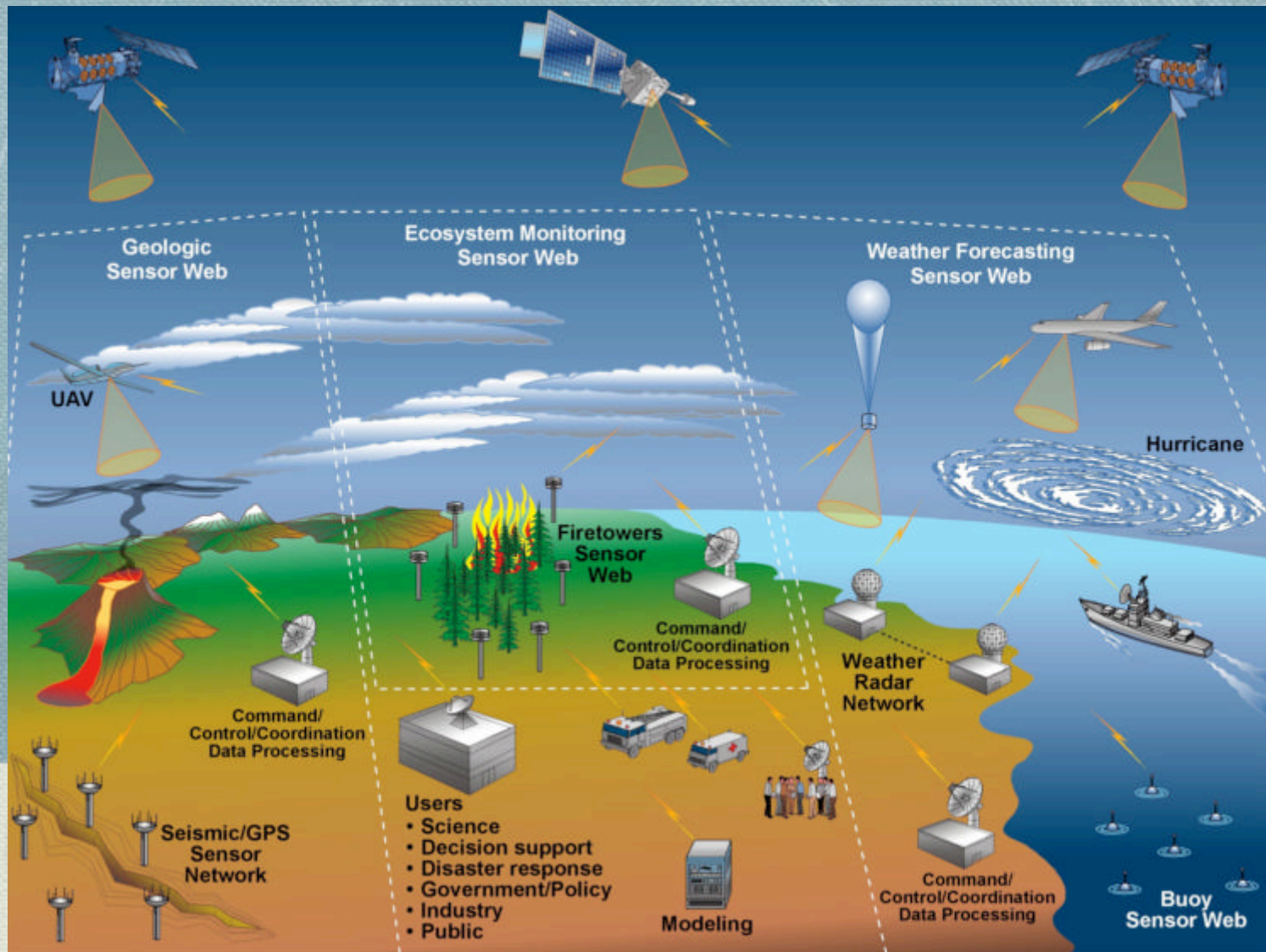
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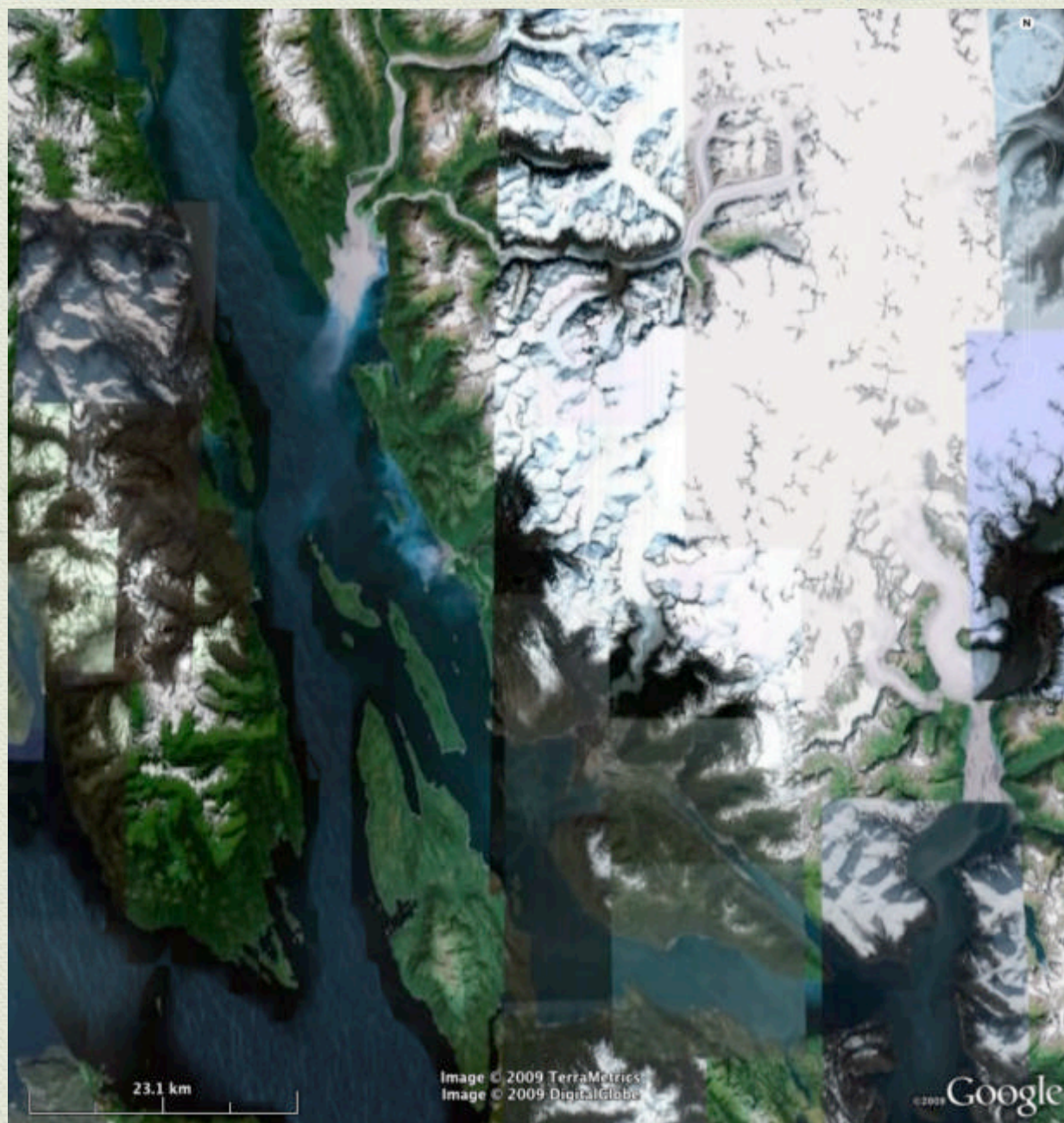
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Sensor Web Concept

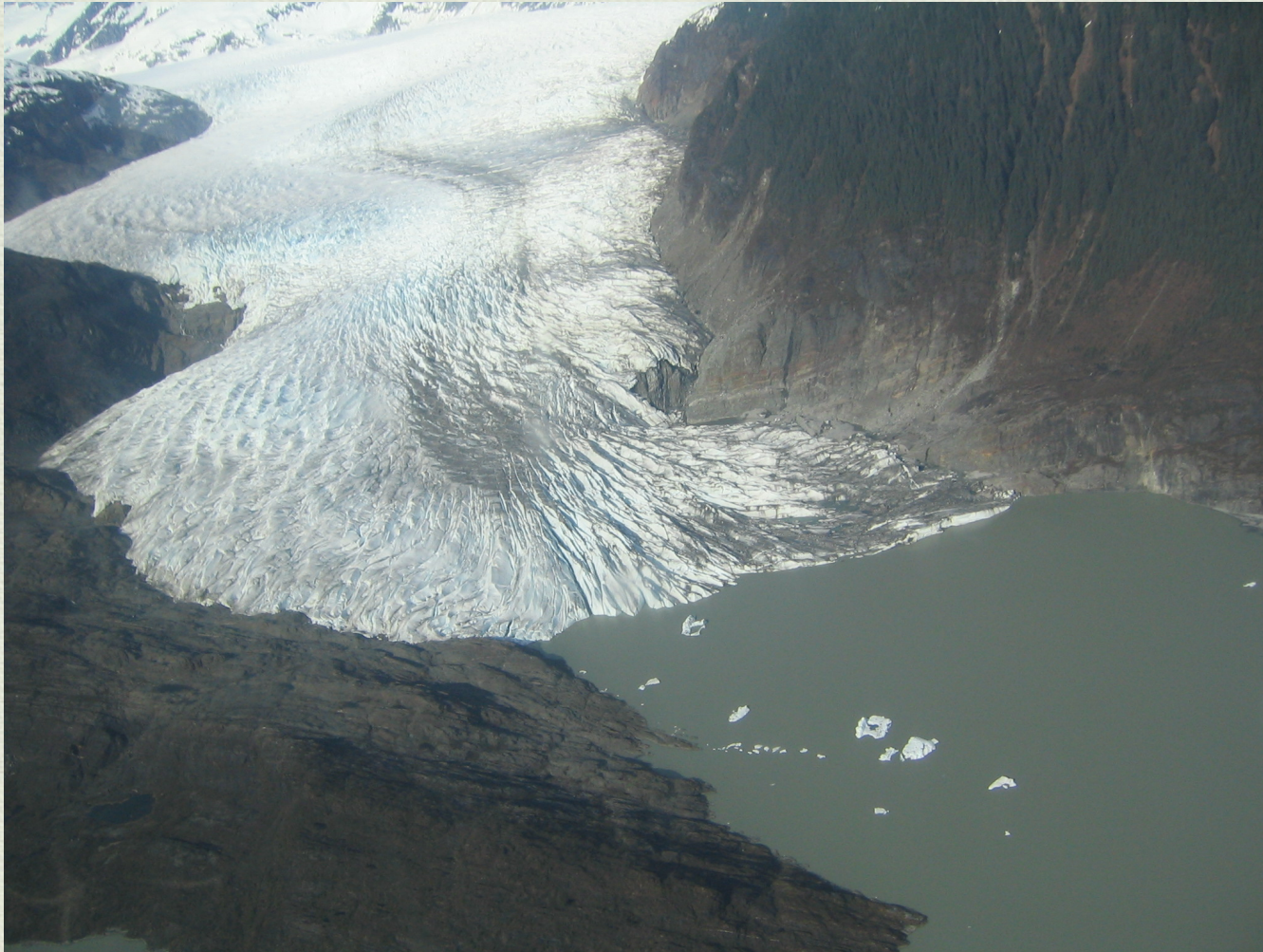


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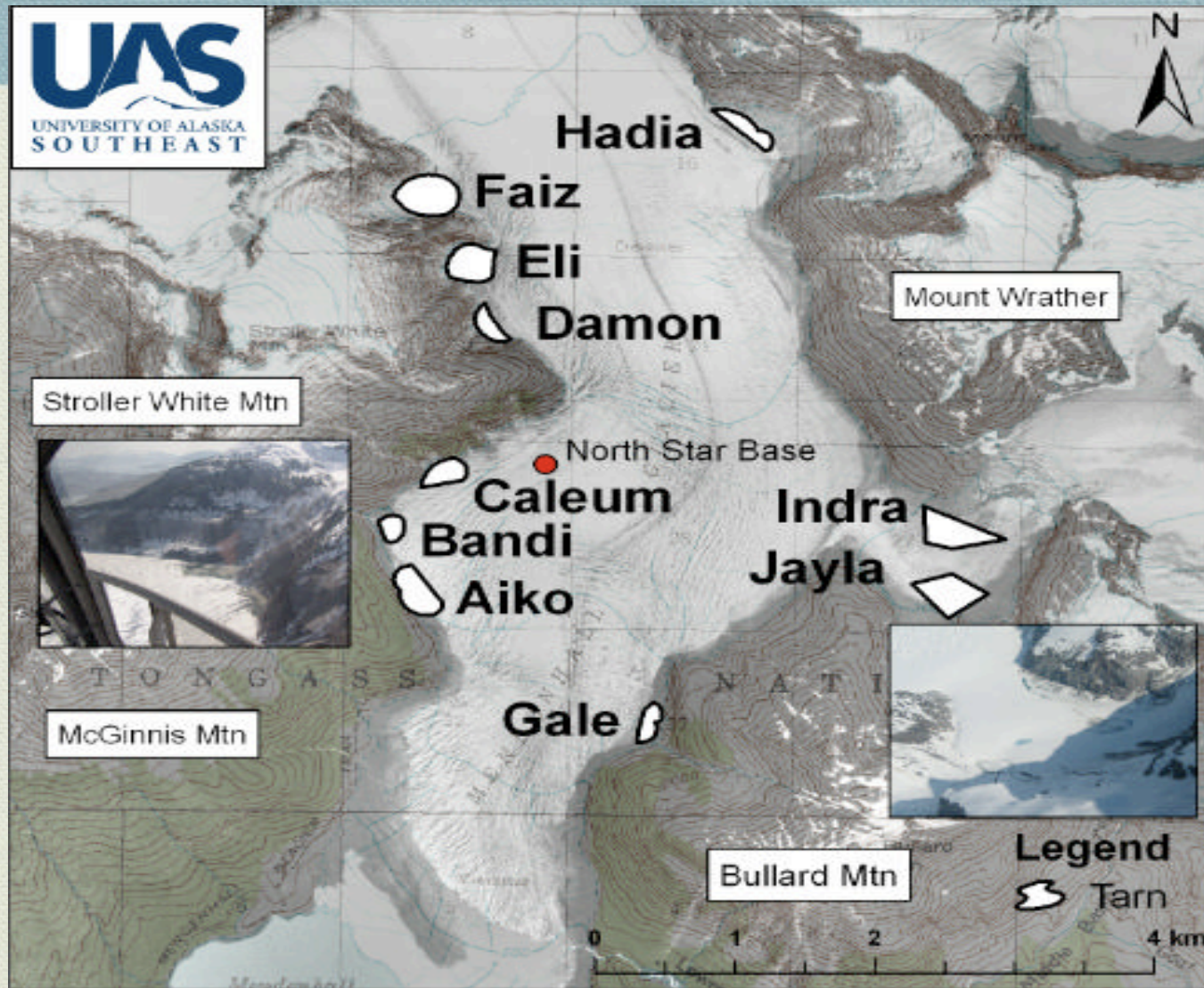


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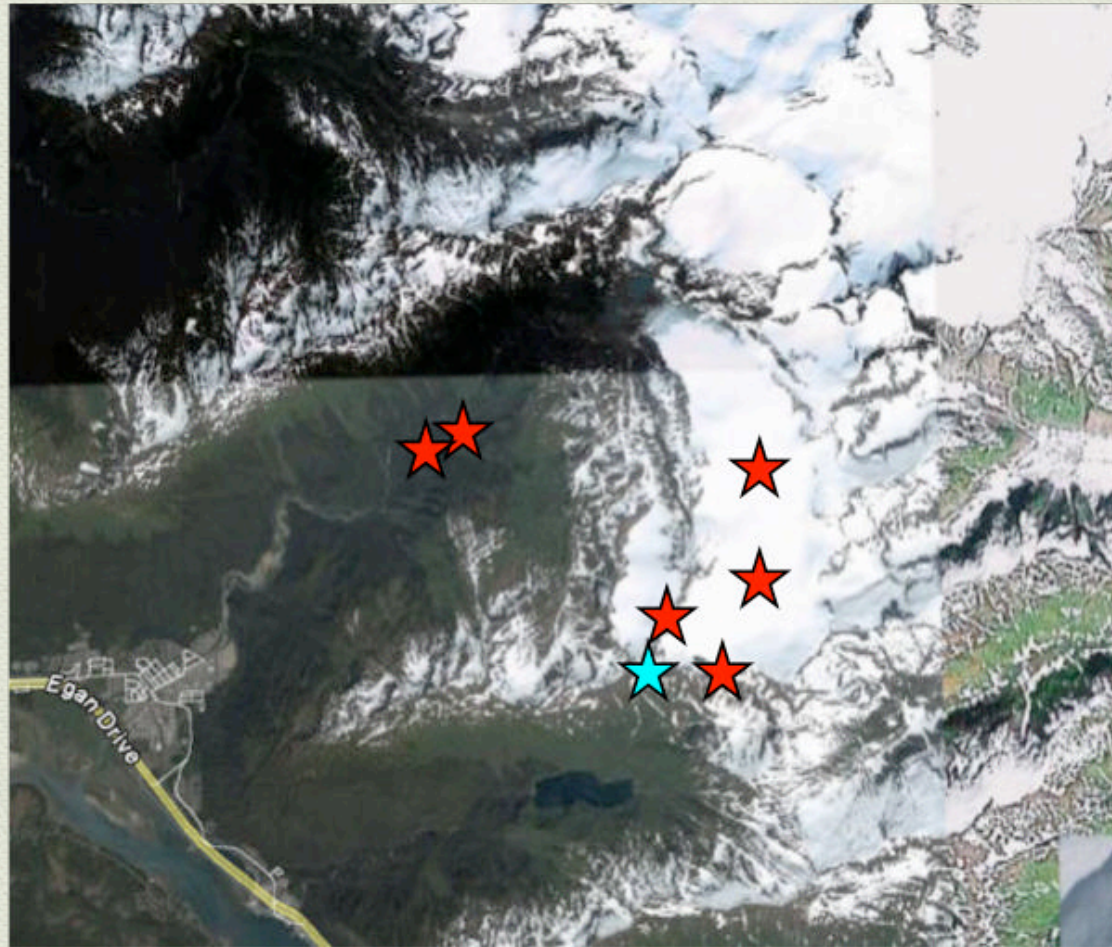


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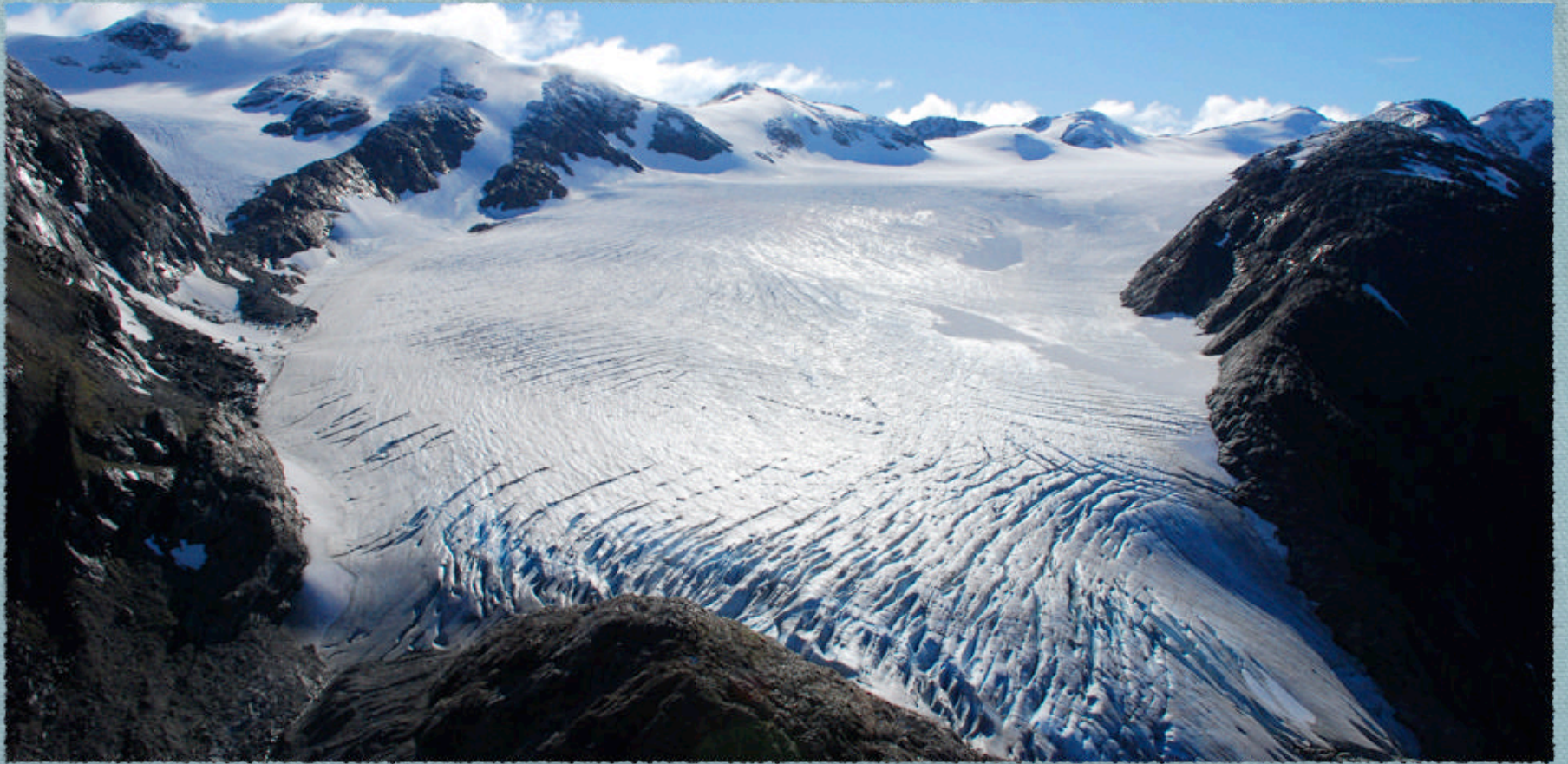


Lemon Creek Sensor Web









Lemon Creek Glacier



Lower Lemon Met Station

Instrumentation



Lake Level



Climate



Water
Quality

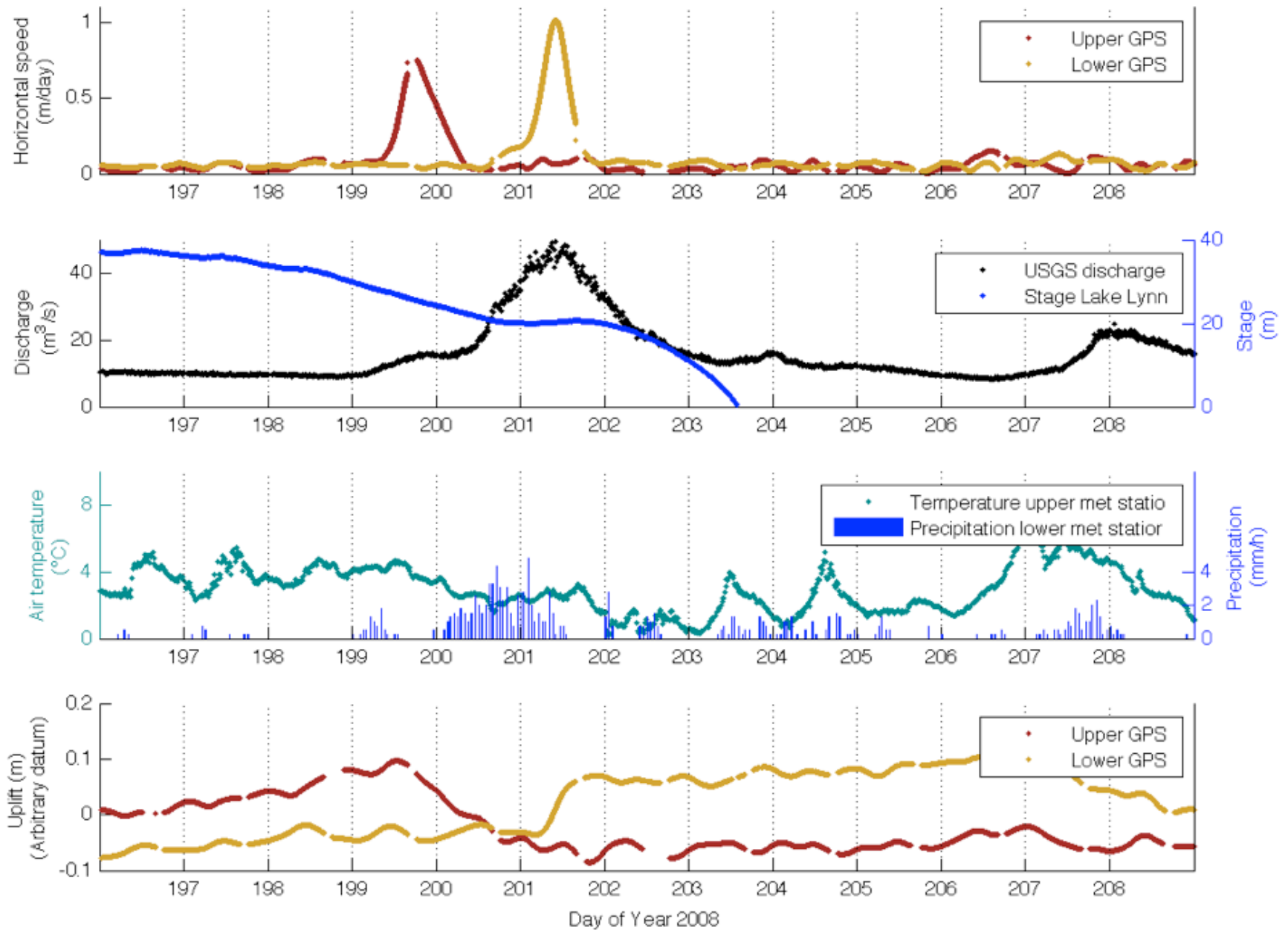


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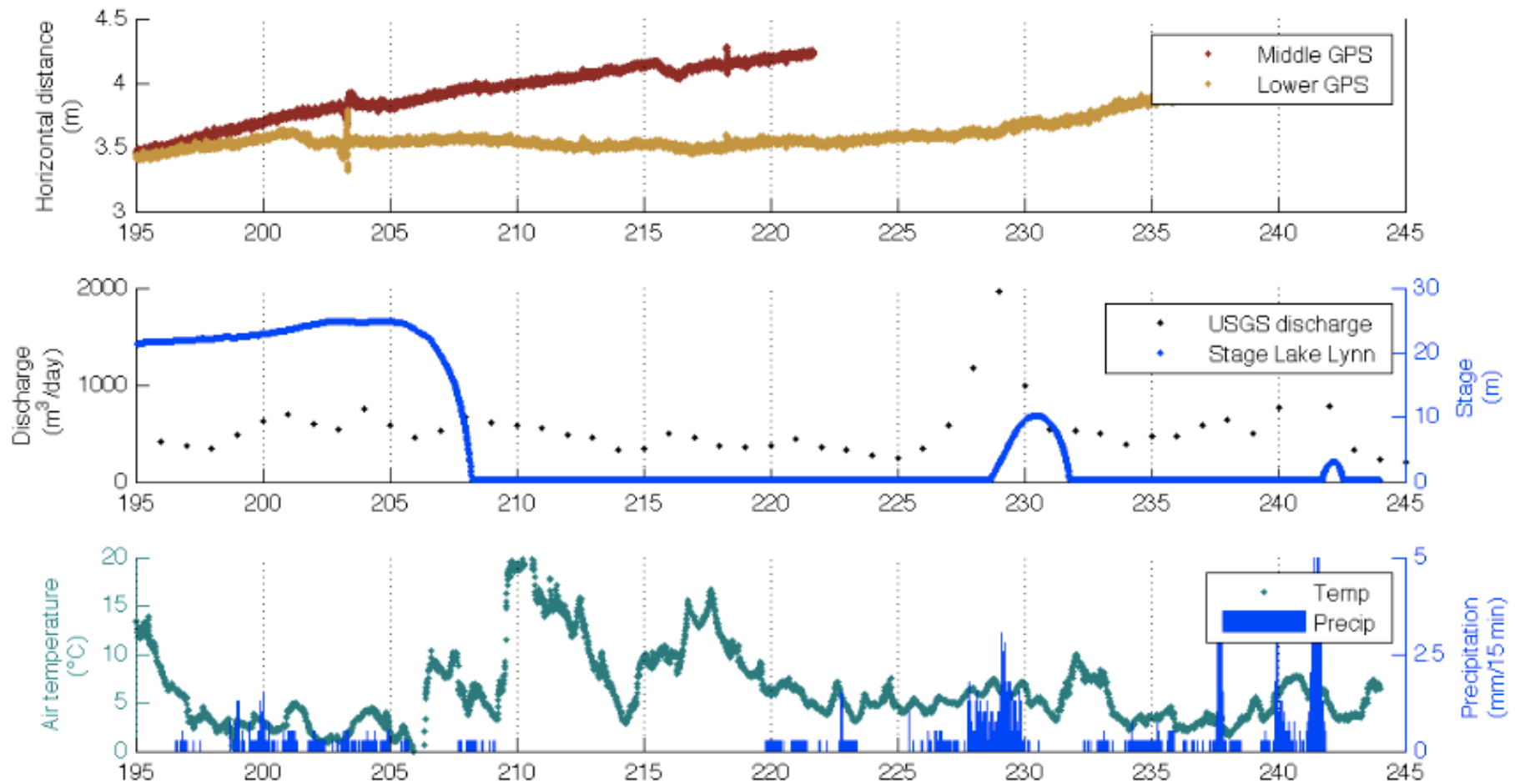


Cameras

Lemon Creek 2008



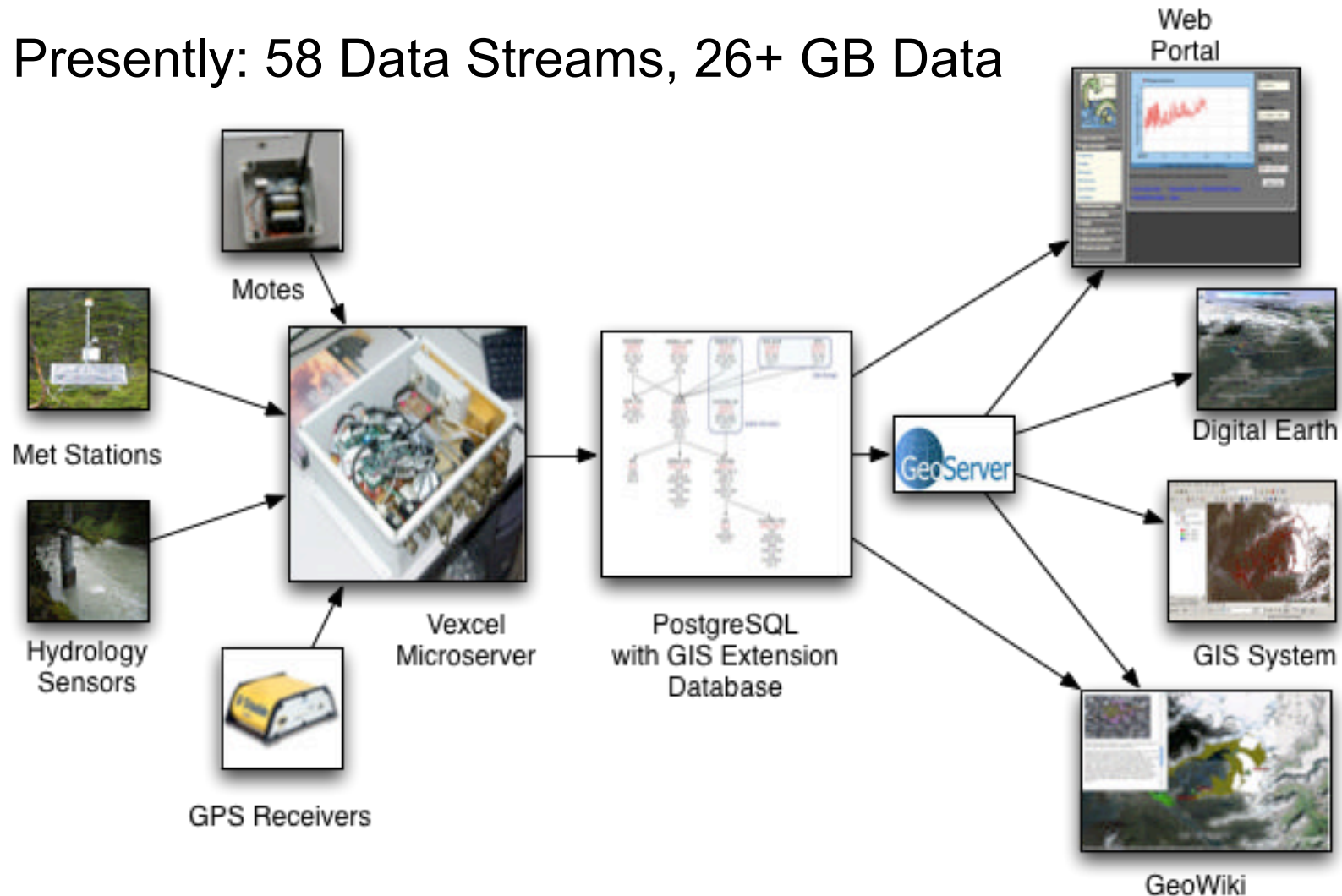
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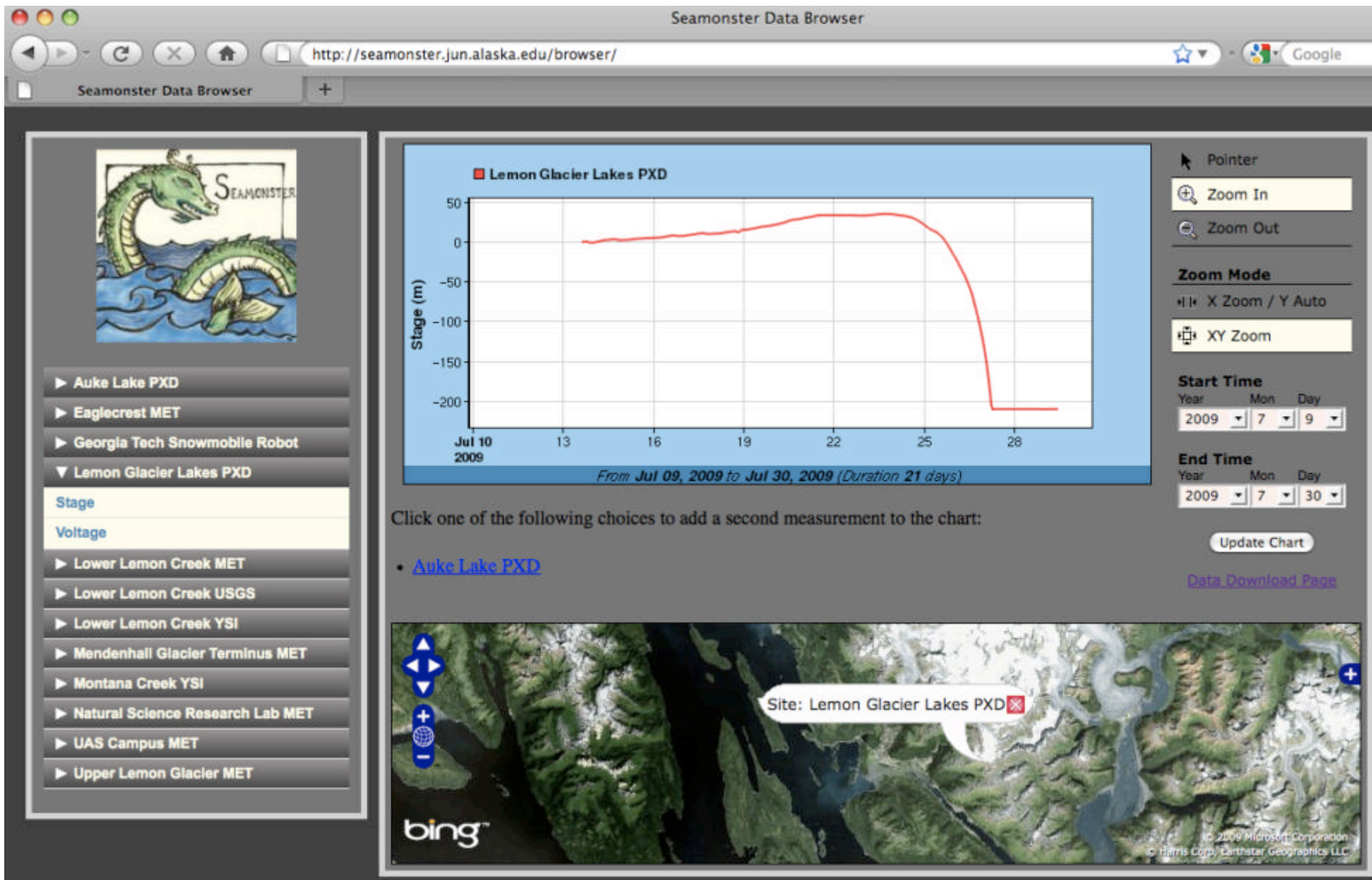


Database and Access

<http://seamonster.jun.alaska.edu:8080/geoserver/mapPreview.do>

Presently: 58 Data Streams, 26+ GB Data







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▶ Auke Lake PXD

▶ Eaglecrest MET

▼ Georgia Tech Snowmobile Robot

Temperature

Humidity

Pressure

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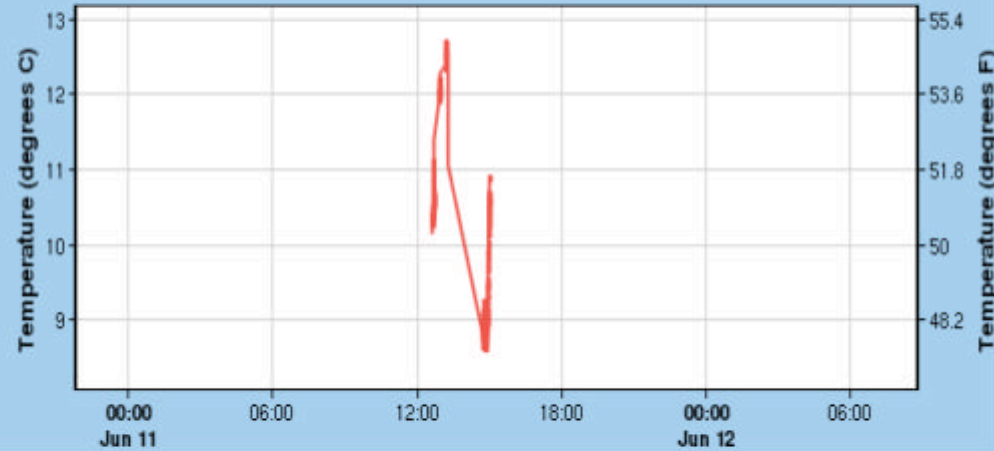
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▶ UAS Campus MET

▶ Upper Lemon Glacier MET

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From Jun 10, 2008 to Jun 12, 2008 (Duration 1 days)

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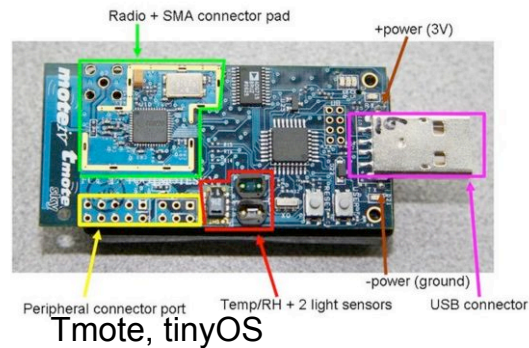
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Platforms



Vexcel Microserver, Linux

There are three different platforms in use, with relative computation, storage, and sensing capabilities as well as power requirements and cost.

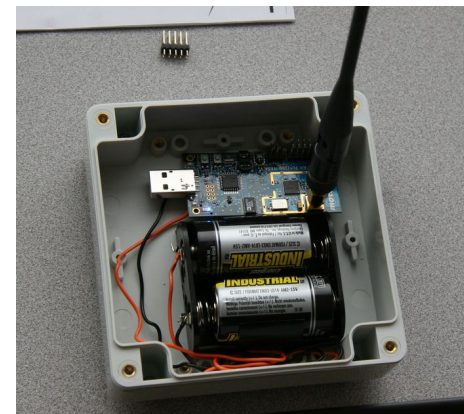


Tmote, tinyOS



Linksys NSLU-2, a UAS testbed platform, Linux

Deployment-ready tmote



Current Status



Current Status



Project Outcomes

- **Sensor Web Concept Demonstrated**
- **Testbed Sensor Web**
 - **Snomotes**
 - **MACRO**
 - **NOAA - Earth Information System**
- **Glacier Hydrology Science**
- **University and Public Concept**

Project Reflections

- 2008 summer of harsh weather impeded Lemon Creek Work
- Focus on “Tier One” Microservers
- Unanticipated collaborations were significant project outcome
- Student Involvement

All SEAMONSTER code, results, and methods are available online through our project wiki, outreach wiki, data browser, and svn code repository.
<http://seamonsterak.com/>

Thank you for your attention!

Questions?





